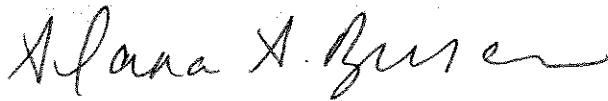


June 30, 2011

Subject: Global Modeling and Assimilation Office RFP Release Date

The government anticipates release of the Final Request for Proposal (RFP) in early July 2011.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ayana A. Briscoe". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Ayana" being the most prominent part.

Ayana A. Briscoe

Contracting Officer